

## Message Text

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SUBJECT: US-UK MOU ON DEFENSE PROCUREMENT COOPERATION

REF: A) STATE 242409; B) USNATO 9795

REFTEL A IS A MOST USEFUL COMPILATION OF WHERE WE  
STAND VIS-A-VIS BILATERAL DEFENSE PROCUREMENT COOPERA-  
TION. WHILE OUR DIALOGUE WITH WHITEHALL OFFICIALS ON  
THIS SUBJECT IS AN ESTABLISHED ONE AND THE PATH IS WELL  
TRODDEN, WE FEEL IT WOULD BE WORTHWHILE TO DRAW ON  
DATA AND AGAIN IMPRESS ON BRITISH OFFICIALDOM THE FACTS  
AS WE SEE THEM. AFTER SENIOR OFFICIALS RETURN FROM  
THE NPG WE PROPOSE TO SEE QUINLAN, FACER AND WILBERFORCE  
ADDITIONALLY, WE BELIEVE IT WOULD BE USEFUL TO MAKE  
SEVERAL OF THE POINTS CONTAINED IN REFTEL TO SELECTIVE  
MPS PARTICULARLY INTERESTED IN DEFENSE COOPERATION AND  
TWO-WAY STREET MATTERS. FINALLY, WE BELIEVE IT WOULD  
BE USEFUL TO MAKE THE MAIN POINTS TO MOD MULLEY DURING  
HIS FORTHCOMING VISIT TO WASHINGTON.  
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